STATE OF IOWA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:

INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY

DOCKET NOS. RPU-02-3 RPU-02-8

ORDER SCHEDULING TECHNICAL CONFERENCE

(Issued April 3, 2003)

The Utilities Board (Board) held a decision meeting on March 31 and April 1, 2003, when it announced its preliminary decisions, subject to written order, in these dockets. The Board's staff, which is starting to develop schedules that will implement the decisions, cannot obtain consistent results from the decommissioning models provided by Interstate Power and Light Company (IPL) and the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) with the decision inputs made by the Board. Therefore, a technical conference will be scheduled for Tuesday, April 8, 2003, at 10 a.m.

The sole purpose of the conference is for the Board's technical staff to ask questions of IPL and Consumer Advocate regarding changing inputs to their decommissioning models so that the models can be run to reflect the Board's decisions. Parties may listen to the discussions in person or by phone, although appropriate technical personnel from IPL and Consumer Advocate will need to be present in Des Moines. In addition, IPL and Consumer Advocate will be required to

rerun their decommissioning models, using the decisions announced by the Board, and bring the results to the meeting.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

A technical conference, as discussed above, is scheduled for Tuesday, April 8, 2003, at 10 a.m. The conference will be held in Conference Room 3 at the Board's offices at 350 Maple Street, Des Moines, Iowa. Parties may also participate by calling the Board's bridge line, 515-323-1957. The bridge line will be open approximately ten minutes prior to the hearing. IPL and Consumer Advocate shall provide the information identified in this order at the conference.

	UTILITIES BOARD
ATTEST:	/s/ Mark O. Lambert
/s/ Judi K. Cooper Executive Secretary	/s/ Elliott Smith
Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 3 rd day of April, 2003.	